

Locate Resolution Committee Meeting-Mecklenburg

August 30, 2017

Attendees:

Johnny Brock
Sam Gonzalez
Scott Paulk
Tami Stout
Jody Kiker
Chris Joyner
Daniel Ridings
Patrick DeCristo
Brett Kilgo
Roger Richards
Paul Carrico
Tim Yarbrow
Tom Kraft
Kevin Comalander

Meeting opened at 11:35 by Chair/Co-Chair Sam Gonzalez & Roger Richards.

Would like to review the white lining video prior to sharing with the UCC's.

Please share APWA marking guidelines with UCC. (I shared with all of my UCC's)

Check with Ann to see if we have any extra CGA books to share that have best practices in them for marking. (Extra at office. She will bring some to me to share)

Would like to make marking consistency next project to focus on-also discuss how to delineate abandoned lines (or lines not made live yet).

Find root cause for hitting abandoned lines/lines not made live yet.

Communication is the key in everything.

Scott (USIC)-with the Duke initiative, communication is a major component of their success. Awareness has gone up, paint is fresh, and Duke pushing the initiative has made this successful.

Would like to do a time change. One hour for UCC is just not enough anymore. Need to be able to block off 1.5 hours and then an hour for LRPC.

Daniel with Broadlinx reminded everyone to use a survey/design ticket if no excavation work was occurring. Give locator time to get marked and allow you to plan route. Broadlinx carries locating equipment to help them determine the path they can take.

Group asked if there was a way to tell –when damages are reported, is there a way to determine if it was an abandoned line?

Next meeting September 29. Town of Matthews.